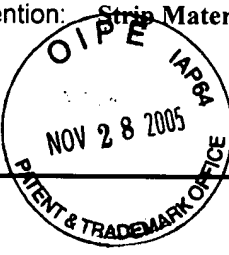
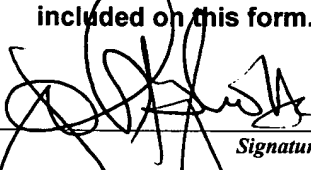
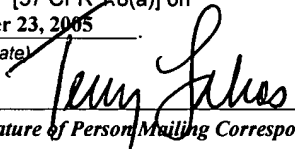


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)					Docket No. 1390	
In Re Application Of: Dirk Yerian						
Application No. 10/733,688	Filing Date 12/10/2003	Examiner Sue E. Purvis	Customer No. 33-55	Group Art Unit 1734	Confirmation No. 9040	
Invention: Strip Material Applicator Apparatus						
 COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:						
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>06/29/2005</u> in the above-identified application. <i>Date</i>						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> One month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div><div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; width: 100%;"><div>from: <u>09/30/2005</u> <i>Date</i></div><div>until: <u>11/29/2005</u> <i>Date</i></div></div></div>						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27						
The fee for the extension of time is \$225 and is to be paid as follows:						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-2380						
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.						
 <i>Signature</i> John D. Gugliotta, PE Esq. Reg. No. 36,538 137 S. Main St., Ste. 202 Akron, OH 44308 330-253-5678 330-253-6658 (facsimile)			Dated: November 23, 2005			
11/29/2005 HVUONG1 00000014 10733688 01 FC:2252 225.00 OP CC:			<div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding-bottom: 5px;">I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on November 23, 2005 <i>(Date)</i></div> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding-bottom: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div> <div style="text-align: center;">Terry Lakos <i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div>			